

July 2023

A Montgomery Sectional Commanders Conference was held on July 8, 2023 at Hunting Ridge COG at 9:00 AM. Opening comments and thanking Commander Joe Andrews and to pass on our thanks to his pastor for the use of his church by Commander Rick. Opening prayer and special prayer requests by Commander Josh Register.

Churches represented at the Conference: First A/G Montgomery, 1st A/G Clanton, Evangel Church and Hunting Ridge COG.

Staff present: Commanders Rick Higgins and Joe Andrews.

The financial report for the past quarter was presented by Commander Rick. Commander Scott Cofer motioned to approve financial report. Commander Josh Register seconded the motion. Motion passed. Copy is attached.

Commander Rick brought up discussion on upcoming events. Fishing Rodeo at the Alabama Wildlife Federation (AWF) facility in Millbrook will be held on Aug 5th beginning at 7:00 AM to 11:00 AM. This is for kids ages 3 to 15 at no cost. First 100 registered kids will receive a free T-shirt and be registered for prizes; repelling will be announced at a later date by Commanders Fontine and Andrews; derby cars was discussed and agreed that Commander Rick will order the cars from the same company as in the past (Woodland Scenics); powwow will be October 13 and 14 at same location as last year with no change in cost. Commander Fontine mentioned that the .22 rifles needed scopes therefore a discussion was conducted. Commander Joe Fontine motioned that the Section purchased two rifle scopes for the two .22 rifles. Commander Scoff Cofer seconded the motion. Motion passed.

Commander Josh Phillips of 1st A/G (Clanton) announced that he had an ample supply of RR wrist bands available to purchase for each outpost who wanted them at \$1 each.

Commander Scott Cofer mentioned that he would like to have the five BB holder clips for the Section BB rifles. Discussion followed. Due to safety reasons and training requirements for the boys, this discussion was closed.

The next scheduled quarterly planning conference will be held on October 7, 2023 at Evangel Church. Main topic for discussion will be Pow Wow and Family Field Day.

Being no further business for discussion, the meeting was adjourned at 11:30 with prayer by Commander Josh Register.

Yours in Christ,

Richard N. Higgins, Jr.
Montgomery Deputy Sect. Commander
Secretary/Treasurer

Ricky Whittington
Sectional Commander